Attorney Docket # 5367-16P/C/DIV

Patent

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Divisional Application of

Gunther WAITL et al.

Parent Serial No.:

09/754,043

Parent Filed: December 29, 2000

For:

Improved Diode Housing

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

Transmitted herewith are copies of the publications listed on enclosed form PTO/SB/08A form. These publications were cited in parent application Serial No. 09/754,043. It is the applicants' intention to submit all publications cited by the applicant and/or the Examiner in the parent application. If any have been missed, the Examiner is requested to consider them and make them of record in this divisional application.

NOTE: USP 6,459,130 corresponds to DE 195 36 454, and USP 5,985,696 corresponds to DE 195 35 777.

Respectfully submitted, COHEN, PONTANI, LIEBERMAN & PAVANE

y Thom

Thomas Larger Reg. No. 27,264

551 Fifth Avenue, Suite 1210

New York, New York 10176

(212) 687-2770

Dated: July 9, 2003

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number

Substitute for	Form 1449/PTO			Complete if Known		
				Parent Application No.	09/754,043	
INEC	DMATI	N I	DISCLOSURE	Parent Filed	December 29, 2000	
			APPLICANT	First Named Inventor	Gunther WAITL	
51A	(Use as many		_	Art Unit		
	(Osc as man)	Silects (as necessary)	Examiner Name		
Sheet	1	of	2	Attorney Docket Number	5367-16P/C/DIV	

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. 1	Document Number Number-Kind-Code ^{2 (if known)}	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear		
	AA	US-6,459,130	10/01/2002	Arndt et al.			
	AB	US-5,985,696	11/16/1999	Brunner et al.			
		US-6,066,861	5/23/2000	Hahn et al.			
		US-					
		US-					
		US-					
-		US-					
		US-					
		US-					
		US-					
		US-					
		US-					
		US-					
		US-					
		US-					
		US-					

		FC	DREIGN PAT	ENT DOCUMENTS		
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. 1	Foreign Patent Document Country Code ³⁻ Number ⁴⁻ Kind-Code ⁵ (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	Т [¢]
	AC	JP-425260	02/28/1992	Sharp K.K.	gai.esppea.	
	AD	JP-62-224986	10/02/1987	Tovoda Gosei Co.		
	AE	JP-07202317A	04/08/1995	Nippon Telegraph		
	AF	DE 195 36 454 A1	04/03/1997	Siemens AG		
	AG	DE 195 35 777 A1	03/27/1997	Siemens AG		

Examir Signati		Date Considered	
Signati		Considered	

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and

submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

If you need assistance in completing the form call 1-800-PTO-9199 (1-800-786-9199) and select antion 2

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number

Substitute for	r Form 1449/PTC)			Complete if Known		
					Application Number	09/754,043	
INIEOI		AT TAT	COT OCI	TDE	Filing Date	December 29, 2000	
	RMATIO				First Named Inventor	Gunther WAITL	
STAT	EMENT.			NT	Art Unit		
	(Use as many s	heets as n	ecessary)		Examiner Name		
Sheet	2	of	2		Attorney Docket Number	5367-16P/C/DIV	

Examiner Initials*	Cite No. 1	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T2
	AH	Patent Abstracts of Japan, Japanese Patent Office, Pub. No. 62224986A	
	AI	English Language Translation of JP 62-224986 (ABSTRACT)	
	AJ	English Language Translation of JP 4-25260 (ABSTRACT)	-
	AK	Patent Abstracts of Japan, Pub. No. 07202317A, (English), pages 1	-
	AL	English Abstract of Japanese Application Pub. No. 07202317A (English), pages 1	
	AM	Machine language translation of Japanese Application Pub. No. 07202317A (English), pages 7	
	AN	Japan Patent Office Examination for Pub. No. 07202317A (German), 8 pages	
	AO	Frank Mollmer et al., "Siemens-SMT-TOP-LED-LED's for Surface Mounting; Siemens Components, XXVI, Vol. 26, Nr. 4/5, pp. 147-149, October (1991).	
	-		-

	Examiner Signature	Date Considered
1	Signature	Considered

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. 'Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 'See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. 'Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 'For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 'Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. 'Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.